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IRIS

Chinese Lantern \$20.00

No. 53-114 - Mary Randall X Techny Chimes

Tall, large deep yellow self with a tangerine beard. This is the brightest beard I have seen on a yellow Iris. 42 inches tall, well branched bloom stem; large and vigorous plant.

Lipstick (1957) \$20.00

1/4 New Snow - 1/4 Snow Flurry - 1/2 Pink

This nicely formed snow white flower with a tangerine beard was bred to a plan started in 1945 to produce a white Iris with a red beard. The first crosses were Snow Flurry X Pink Cameo, and New Snow X Cherie. During the next eight years much size and some vitality was lost because so few of the seedlings could be used— I in 16 in the second generation. Lipstick breeds true when crossed with two of its sister seedlings. If you want to breed red bearded whites the use of Lipstick should save you many years of work. 32 inches tall; good branching; good substance.

Waxing Moon \$20.00

No. 53-44 - Yellow from Pink Breeding

Round and full petaled, very clear medium light yellow self with a beard to match; no haft marks. The color is so clear that this flower radiates a yellow inner light. 35 inches tall, well branched. H.C. 1954.

Tranquility (1950) \$1.50 No. 46-36—Snow Flurry X Katherine Fay

This very large milk-white flower is carried on a perfectly branched strong stem 38 inches tall. Very large strong plants with blue green leaves. Completely winter hardy at Chicago. Mid-season. H. M. 1950; A. M. 1953; 100 Best 1956.

No. 53-70 — 51-29 X T51-60

A medium light pink self with pinkish red beard, from a Mary Randall seedling which was ½ Pallida. This breeding gives Fleeta thickness of petal, and a large completely hardy plant with blue-green foliage. The large flowers are nicely ruffled and are carried on a well-branched strong 37-inch stalk. The falls flare nicely. Has pollen; sets seed easily. H. C. 1954; H. M. 1957.

Galilee (1956) \$20.00

No. 53-86 - Butterfly Blue X Bluebird Blue

A medium blue self with a white beard. Galilee is a beautiful real blue Iris which does not fade. The flowers are large, round and full petaled with no haft marks, and are carried on a low-branched strong straight stem 34 inches tall. It sets seed well, but has no pollen. A very strong plant with blue-green leaves. H. C. 1955; H. M. 1956.

Bluebird Blue \$4.00

(1953)

No. 49-28 — Helen McGregor X Cahokia

Large, full, round and tailored flowers of the clearest shade of medium blue. Does not fade. Beard white tipped lemon. Wellbranched 36-inch bloom stem. Very nice plants; have withstood 25 degrees below zero without damage. Mid-season. H.C. 1950; H.M. 1954.

Cliffs of Dover \$4.00

No. 49-17 - New Snow X Cahokia

Large, flaring and ruffled clear white flowers of great substance, borne on 36-inch sturdy bloom stems. There are no haft markings and the beard is light yellow. A good grower and fast increaser. Blue-green foliage. Completely winter hardy at Chicago. Mid-season. H. C. 1952; H. M. 1953; A. M. 1955; 100 Best 1956.

Total Eclipse

\$20.00

(1956)

No. 53-91 — Black Hills crossed back to its Pod Parent

A very large and tall blue-black Iris with a beard which is almost black, tipped in light blue. A large and vigorous plant. The 45-inch stem is strong and straight with four branches and terminal, producing 10 or 11 flowers on a main bloom stem. The flowers have very good form, with closed standards, flaring falls, no haft marks and very good substance. Fertile both ways. H. C. 1954; H. M. 1956.

Big Game

\$12.50

No. 50-06 - 48-61 X 48-43

No. 48-61 is Snow Flurry X Chivalry No. 48-43 is 44-44-Blue Seedling X Chivalry

A self of the deepest shade of violet (R.H. S. Color Chart). The very straight 38-inch bloom stem, which usually has three huge flowers open at one time, has never required staking. There are three buds in each bud socket which produce from 12 to 15 flowers on each main bloom stem. This gives a very long season of bloom. It begins with the early bloomers, and at the end of the season is still blooming — the last flowers as large and beautiful as the first. H. M. 1954.

Truly Yours

\$4.00

No. 46-35 — 44-43 X Zantha DYKES MEDAL 1953

A truly new flower and combination of color in the Iris world. The buds are bright yellow because the under side of the open fall is yellow and the top side is faced with white. The heart of the flower is bright yellow, which shades off to almost white at the bottom of the falls and the top of the standards. Both standards and falls are ruffled. The haft is very wide with gold threads radiating from the yellow beard. It blooms very late in the season; is winter hardy; 38 inches tall. H. C.1949; A. M. 1951; No. 1, 100 Best 1956.

Black Hills (1951) \$4.00

No. 49-21 - 47-21 X Black Forest

A blue black Iris as tall and as large as the best Irises in other color classes. This full-petaled, nicely proportioned, flaring and stylish blue black flower with a beard to match and no haft markings, is borne on a well-branched stalk 48 inches tall; 12 flowers on a main bloom stem. A fast increaser and vigorous grower. Mid-season. A very good parent. H.C. 1950; H.M. 1952; A.M. 1954; 100 Best 1956.

Mary Randall \$7.50

No. **T48-3**DYKES MEDAL 1954

A very nice rose pink flower with tangerine beard. Flowers are well spaced on a strong nicely-branched 36-inch stalk. Plants are large and vigorous with good foliage. Midseason. H. C. 1950; H. M. 1951; Leader A. M. 1953; No. 3, 100 Best 1956.

Butterfly Blue \$4.00

No. 49-24 - 47-34 X Cahokia

A clear light blue self with a pale lemon beard and a frosted finish. There are no haft markings. Flowers are semi-flaring and nicely ruffled. The 40-inch stem is strong and well branched. Late bloomer; winter hardy; good increaser. H. M. 1953.

Native Dancer \$12.00

No. 51-32 - 48-41 X Mary Randall

This peach pink flower with tangerine beard is carried on a strong well-branched 38-inch stem. A main bloom stem produces 12 flowers. The flowers are large, of good substance, wide clean haft, semi-flaring falls, and closed standards. The plant is large, vigorous, winter hardy, and has blue-green foliage. A medium increaser. H. M. 1955.

HEMEROCALLIS

Mr. H. M. Russell of Russell Gardens, Spring, Texas, and I have agreed that Russell Gardens are to be the Sole Distributor of all my new Hemerocallis introductions.

Perky

(1956)

\$7.50

No. T49-14—North Star X Joanna Hutchins

Perky is a large 6½-inch yellow flower which opens wide and has one petal longer than the other two petals. The plant is small with narrow leaves. The slender wiry 33-inch scape carries the flowers just above the foliage so the scape is hardly noticed. Flowers open early in the morning and stay out until dark; does not fade. Dormant, winter hardy, good grower and increaser.

True Charm \$15.00

(1955)

No. 52-22 — No. 50-01 X Evelyn Claar
No. 50-01 is Kraus Red X Evelyn Claar

This is a very large maize colored flower. The flower is a self with no throat marking and no halo or eye. The petals are medium wide and very thick, opening to a 7-inch flower of much grace and charm. 40 inches tall; fertile both ways; deciduous.

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416 Arter Avenue, Topeka, Kansas

Night Hawk \$15.00

No. 52-40 — Vespers X No. T49-14

No. T49-14 is North Star X Joanna Hutchins

A very large, wide petaled ivory yellow self of ivory texture. The flower is wide open, with reflexed and curled petals and sepals. It is an evening bloomer which stays open all night, and all the next day. Does not fade until the new flower opens in the evening. The flowers are carried on strong straight scapes 38 inches tall. Good plant; semi-evergreen; fertile both ways.

Signal Light \$15.00

No. 49-8 — From Two Kraus Red Seedlings

A large, wide petaled flower of bright red, with a small yellow throat. The petals are overlapping and ruffled. The wide open flowers are carried on a 37-inch scape. Nice plant with blue green foliage. Semi-evergreen. Fertile both ways.

Evelyn Claar \$2.00

One of the best of the new pink Hems. A good parent both ways.

Lark Song \$3.00

(Fay 1952)

Vespers X Joanna Hutchins

Wide petaled, medium large, bright canary yellow self, carried on strong straight scapes 38 inches tall. A day bloomer which stays in bloom until dark. Deciduous and completely winter hardy. Fade proof.

TERMS ARE CASH WITH THE ORDER — PLANTS WILL BE SHIPPED BY PARCEL POST DURING JULY AND AUGUST — MINIMUM ORDER \$3.00

Garden Visitors are always welcome

PEONIES

I AM LISTING FOUR HYBRID PEONIES
WHICH BLOOM WITH THE
TALL BEARDED IRIS:

Victoria Lincoln \$7.50

(Dr. Saunders)

Very nice semi-double pink. Good grower.

Red Charm \$15.00

(Glasscock 1939)

Rich pure red bomb type double. Medium tall stiff stems. Most beautiful of all red Peonies.

Alexander Woollcott \$12.00

(Dr. Saunders 1941)

Large, semi-double cup-shaped flower of glowing dark crimson; center of yellow stamens. Very good grower and free bloomer.

Eventide (Glasscock) \$12.00

Large, semi-double cup-shaped flowers in bright pink. Beautiful foliage; good grower; free bloomer.

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